

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

VALARIE WILLIAMS, individually and on
behalf of others similarly situated,

Plaintiff(s),

vs.
TLC CASINO ENTERPRISES, INC. d/b/a
and a/k/a FOUR QUEENS HOTEL AND
CASINO; et al.

Defendant(s).

Case #2:17-cv-02810-JCM-GWF

**VERIFIED PETITION FOR
PERMISSION TO PRACTICE
IN THIS CASE ONLY BY
ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED
TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT
AND DESIGNATION OF
LOCAL COUNSEL**

FILING FEE IS \$250.00

Joseph A. Kroeger _____, Petitioner, respectfully represents to the Court:
(name of petitioner)

1. That Petitioner is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of
Snell & Wilmer L.L.P.

with offices at One S. Church Avenue, Suite 1500,
(street address),

Tucson, Arizona, 85701
(city) (state) (zip code)

520-882-1200, jkroeger@swlaw.com
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

2. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by
TLC Casino Enterprises, Inc./Four Queens, LLC to provide legal representation in connection with
[client(s)]

the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

7 4. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District
8 Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States and Courts
9 of other States on the dates indicated for each, and that Petitioner is presently a member in good
10 standing of the bars of said Courts.

	Court	Date Admitted	Bar Number
11	Arizona Supreme Court	July 30, 2008	026036
12	California Supreme Court	December 3, 2003	228481
13	Colorado Supreme Court	October 9, 2013	46093
14	Illinois Supreme Court	November 9, 2000	6272564
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5. That there are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against petitioner,
nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory
or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or
disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:

None

1 6. That Petitioner has never been denied admission to the State Bar of Nevada. (Give
2 particulars if ever denied admission):

None

6 7. That Petitioner is a member of good standing in the following Bar Associations.

Arizona, California, Colorado, Illinois, Federal and American

10 8. Petitioner has filed application(s) to appear as counsel under Local Rule IA 11-2
11 (formerly LR IA 10-2) during the past three (3) years in the following matters: (State "none" if no applications.)

12	Date of Application	Cause	Title of Court Administrative Body or Arbitrator	Was Application Granted or Denied
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14	None			
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(If necessary, please attach a statement of additional applications)

20 9. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the
21 State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same
22 extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.

23 10. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of
24 the members of the bar of this court.

25 11. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to
26 practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.

That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court
FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.

STATE OF Arizona)
COUNTY OF Pima)

Petitioner's signature

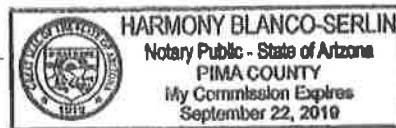
Joseph A. Kroeger, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:
That the foregoing statements are true.

10 Subscribed and sworn to before me this

Petitioner's signature

8th day of January, 2018.

Yvonne Blance Hall
Notary Public or Clerk of Court



**DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO
THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Paul Swenson Prior,
(name of local counsel)
Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The address and email address of said designated Nevada counsel is:

Hughes Center, 3883 Howard Hughes Parkway, Suite 1100
(street address)

Las Vegas _____, Nevada _____, 89169
(city) (state) (zip code)

702.784.5200, sprior@swlaw.com
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

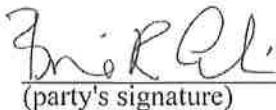
1 By this designation the petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation constitutes
2 agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign stipulations
3 binding on all of us.

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5 **APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL**

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7 The undersigned party(ies) appoint(s) Paul Swenson Prior as
8 (name of local counsel)
his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.

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11 (party's signature)

12 TLC Casino Enterprises, Inc. and Four Queens, LLC
(type or print party name, title)

13 _____
14 (party's signature)

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16 (type or print party name, title)

17 **CONSENT OF DESIGNEE**

18 The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

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20 Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

21 9324 _____ sprior@swlaw.com
Bar number Email address

23 APPROVED:

24 Dated: January 17, 2018.

25 
26 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING
ISSUED BY THE DISCIPLINARY CLERK
FOR AND ON BEHALF OF
THE SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA

The Disciplinary Clerk pursuant to Rule 74, Rules of the Supreme Court of Arizona, hereby certifies that according to the records of the State Bar, **JOSEPH ANTHONY KROEGER** was duly admitted to practice as an attorney and counselor at law in all courts of Arizona by the Supreme Court of Arizona on July 30, 2008 is now, as of the date of this Certificate, an active member of the State Bar of Arizona in good standing.

Given under the seal of the Disciplinary Clerk of the Supreme Court of Arizona this December 26, 2017.



Amanda McQueen
Disciplinary Clerk



THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA

180 HOWARD STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA 94105-1617

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CERTIFICATE OF STANDING

December 27, 2017

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

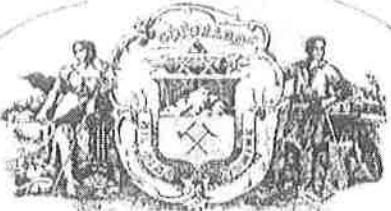
This is to certify that according to the records of the State Bar, JOSEPH ANTHONY KROEGER, #228481 was admitted to the practice of law in this state by the Supreme Court of California on December 3, 2003; that from the date of admission to September 8, 2006, he was an ACTIVE member of the State Bar of California; that on September 8, 2006, he transferred at his request to the INACTIVE status; that from that date to September 18, 2006, he was an INACTIVE member of the State Bar of California; that on September 18, 2006, he was suspended from the practice of law in California by order of the Supreme Court for nonpayment of State Bar membership fees; that said suspension remained in effect to February 17, 2009 upon which last mentioned date he was reinstated to the INACTIVE status by the Supreme Court upon payment of all delinquent State Bar fees and penalties; that from that date to February 18, 2009, he was an INACTIVE member of the State Bar of California; that on February 18, 2009, he transferred at his request to the ACTIVE status; that from that date to January 27, 2011, he was an ACTIVE member of the State Bar of California; that on January 27, 2011, he transferred at his request to the INACTIVE status; that from that date to January 4, 2012, he was an INACTIVE member of the State Bar of California; that on January 4, 2012, he transferred at his request to the ACTIVE status; that he has been since that date, and is at date hereof, an ACTIVE member of the State Bar of California; and that no recommendation for discipline for professional or other misconduct has ever been made by the Board of Trustees or a Disciplinary Board to the Supreme Court of the State of California.

THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Louise Turner".

Louise Turner
Custodian of Membership Records

SUPREME COURT



State of Colorado,

STATE OF COLORADO, ss:

I, Cheryl Stevens, Clerk of the Supreme Court of the State of Colorado, do hereby certify that

Joseph A. Kroeger

has been duly licensed and admitted to practice as an

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW

within this State; and that his/her name appears upon the Roll of Attorneys and Counselors at Law in my office of date the 9th

day of October A. D. 2013 and that at the date hereof the said Joseph A. Kroeger

is in good standing at this Bar.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the Seal of said Supreme Court, at Denver, in said State, this

19th day of December A. D. 2017

Cheryl Stevens

Clark

Jessica J. DePari

Deputy Clerk





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12/14/2017

Re: Joseph Anthony Kroeger
Attorney No. 6272564

To Whom It May Concern:

The records of the Clerk of the Supreme Court of Illinois and this office reflect that Joseph Anthony Kroeger was admitted to practice law in Illinois on 11/9/2000; is currently registered on the master roll of attorneys entitled to practice law in this state; has never been disciplined and is in good standing.

Very truly yours,
Jerome Larkin
Administrator

By: Andrew Oliva
Andrew Oliva
Registrar